

Method for Forwarding Data Packets By a Router

ABSTRACT

5 The invention describes a method for transmitting data packets by
a router, whereby the ports of the router are assigned to
affinity values. The data packets also comprise affinity values.
Depending on a match of the affinity values of the data packets
and the affinity values of the ports, the router forwards the
10 data packets to selected ports. Furthermore, the data of the
payload of the data packets are attenuated depending on the
affinity value that is used for selecting the port.

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